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Grp.A.U. : 3727
Examiner : Tri M. Mai
Docket No. : 2870/296

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

ELECTION AND AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on 07/31/2002, in which election was required by the Examiner.

REMARKS

The Applicants hereby provisionally elect to prosecute claims 1-13 drawn to a container, and provisionally elects to prosecute the species shown in Figs. 1-3, Group I. However, for the reasons stated below, Applicants traverse the election requirements with respect to both the invention and the species.